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# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

(INCLUDING FILING FEE AND/OR PETITION FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE)

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective May 29, 2000  
provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application  
filed on or after June 8, 1995.  
See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

To: <b>Commissioner for Patents</b> <b>Box RCE</b> <b>PO Box 1450</b> <b>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</b>		Attorney Docket No.:1344.1051	
First Named Inventor	Kazuhiko TOMITA		
Application No.	09/734,192	Group Art Unit	3621
Filing Date	December 12, 2000	Examiner	John M. Winter
CPA Filing Date		Confirmation No	4249
Title of Invention	COMPUTER READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDED WITH ELECTRONIC AUTHORIZATION PROGRAM, ELECTRONICALLY AUTHORIZING DEVICE AND ELECTRONICALLY AUTHORIZING METHOD		
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.			
1. <b>Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 (Box a or b must be completed)</b>			
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted			
i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed on <u>October 15, 2007</u> (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).			
ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ____			
iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed			
i. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply			
ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)			
iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)			
iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
2. <b>Miscellaneous</b>			
a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required).			
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other			

		BASIC FEE		\$	810.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>October 16, 2007</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension of time to cover the date this RCE is filed, for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$460)); (3 months (\$1,050)); (4 months (\$1,640)); (5 months (\$2,230)):					
Suspension Fee (\$130.00)					
Total of above Calculations =				\$	810.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).					
TOTAL FEES DUE =				\$	810.00
4. <input type="checkbox"/> Small entity status: a. <input type="checkbox"/> Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status. b. <input type="checkbox"/> A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status was previously filed and such status is still proper and desired. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is no longer claimed. 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Other:					
<b>6. METHOD OF PAYMENT</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of <u>\$810.00</u> is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to Deposit Account No. 19-3935. (A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.)					
<b>7. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION</b>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application and of any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 to maintain pendency hereof and of any such related application to: <b>Deposit Account No. 19-3935.</b>					
<b>8. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS</b>					
STAAS & HALSEY LLP  21171 PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE					
<b>9. SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED</b>					
NAME		Temnit Afework		REGISTRATION NO.	58,202
SIGNATURE		<i>Temnit Afework</i>		DATE	10/15/2007

**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)**  
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on October 15, 2007  
By: STAAS & HALSEY  
Temnit Afework  
Date: 10/15/2007